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Washington, D.C. 20231

Re: Optical Antioxidant Sensing Process
Application No.: 09/814,151
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Inventor: Gina L. Nick
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Response to Office Action Dated 03/06/2003

Sirs:

With regard to examiners requirement for restriction, currently pending claims 21-29 of the above identified application are hereby elected for examination. Currently pending claims 30-36 are hereby withdrawn.

In accordance with the current notice of Amendments in a Revised Format, a listing of the current status of all claims in the application is submitted herewith along with a copy of the Office Action.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amendment in Response to Office Action Dated 03/06/2003

With regard to examiners requirement for restriction under 35 U.S.C. 121, currently pending claims 21-29 are hereby elected for examination. Currently pending claims 30-36, are withdrawn. A listing of all claims in the application and status thereof is attached hereto.